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Torrance Unveils Public Charging Stations as Part of National Drive Electric Week

Torrance, Calif., Sept. 3, 2015 – To mark National Drive Electric Week, the City of Torrance will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony for new ChargePoint electric vehicle charging stations Saturday, Sept. 12, at 9 a.m. in the parking lot behind the Katy Geissert Civic Center Library, located at 3301 Torrance Blvd.

Following the ribbon cutting, there will be a National Drive Electric Week Ride and Drive/EV-Expo from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The "Torrance EVent" will feature a display of electric vehicles by area auto dealers and EV owners, giving visitors the opportunity to talk directly to dealers and EV owners and to find out what EV ownership is really like.

Visitors also will have the opportunity to ride in or drive electric vehicles provided by local car dealerships and to obtain information showing the locations of existing and future charging stations throughout the City.

National Drive Electric Week is sponsored by Plug In America, the Sierra Club and the Electric Auto Association.

There also will be information about a range of other environmental concerns including water conservation, recycling, gray water systems and solar energy.

The City of Torrance is proud to unveil the new, publicly available charging stations at six locations throughout the City, including both Level II chargers and Level III DC fast chargers.

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